Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 28 Aug 2021 until 23:59 on Sunday 29 Aug 2021

Forecast Issued on Friday 27 Aug 2021 at 14:22 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for mostly settled conditions to continue into early next week. Low confidence for extent of any low cloud on a daily basis.

Headline for Saturday 28 Aug 2021: Dry and sunny with light winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 28 Aug 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

Forecast for Saturday 28 Aug 2021

Weather: Some areas of cloud on low slopes at first with most summits clear above the cloud inversion. Low cloud will soon clear then it will be dry and mostly sunny. Low cloud will extend inland into the lower slopes of northern and eastern Cairngorms in the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 90%.

Visibility: Generally good although some haziness possible. Poor in any patchy low cloud at first and again in the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	13/16 NW	13/16 NW	14/17 NW	13/17 N	10/14 N	9/13 N	12/15 N	10/13 N	9/11 N
900	6/7 NW	6/7 W	6/8 W	7/10 N	8/12 N	8/12 N	7/11 NE	6/8 NE	6/8 NE
600	4/5 NW	4/6 W	4/6 W	4/7 N	6/9 N	6/10 N	6/9 NE	3/5 N	4/6 N
300	1/2 SW	2/3 SW	2/4 SW	1/4 NW	5/9 N	6/11 N	4/8 N	3/5 NE	2/5 NE
Glen	1/2 E	1/3 S	1/4 S	3/5 E	4/9 NE	4/9 NE	3/8 NE	2/5 N	2/5 N

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	9/7	8/6	9/6	11/8	11/10	12/10	10/8	9/6	8/6
900	11/10	10/9	11/9	12/11	14/12	14/13	13/12	11/10	10/8
600	11/11	10/10	11/10	14/13	16/15	17/16	15/14	13/12	11/11
300	9/9	8/8	9/8	14/14	18/17	19/18	17/17	13/13	12/12
Glen	7/7	6/6	7/8	14/14	19/18	20/19	18/18	13/13	12/11
Freezing Level*	2900m	3000m	2900m	2900m	2800m	2800m	2800m	2700m	2800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Feeling warm in the afternoon with glen temperatures of 20 to 23 Celsius.

Forecast for Sunday 29 Aug 2021
Weather: A mainly cloudy start but cloud will slowly disperse through the morning leaving most ranges sunny by the afternoon. Some low cloud may return in the evening.

Maximum wind: North or Northeast 10-15mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 30% becoming 90% by afternoon.

Visibility: Extensive cloud above 400 or 500m at first, but Munro tops may stay clear above the cloud inversion. Becoming mainly very good by the afternoon as cloud clears.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 10C rising to 19-21C.
At 800m: Plus 8C rising to 13C.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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